

# Annual K-3 Class Size Survey Part II - District and Charter School Waivers and Disposition

2017-2018 School Year

(15 districts and 16 charter schools subject to this requirement)

District	Did you meet the classroom size req. defined by \$1705A, Title 14 Del. C?	If no, did your board vote to waive this requirement?	Late enrollment of new students	Physical space limitations	Teacher salary costs	98% rule	Desire to allocate units to other positions	Full-Day kindergarten	Balancing enrollments in higher grades	Parents resistance to changing child's teacher
Academy of Dover	Yes									
Alonso	Yes									
Appoquinimink	No	Yes	Very	Very	Not At All	Not At All	Somewhat	Not At All	Somewhat	Somewhat
Aspira Academy	Yes									
Brandywine	No	Yes	Not At All	Not At All	Not At All	Not At All	Not At All	Not At All	Not At All	Not At All
Caesar Rodney	Yes									
Campus Comm	Yes									
Cape Henlopen	Yes									
Capital	Yes									
Charter of New Castle	No	Yes	Somewhat	Not At All	Not At All	Not At All	Not At All	Not At All	Not At All	Somewhat

Class size can be impacted due to late enrollment and often times other applicants who decide to forfeit their place at the start of the school year.

In addition, parents would prefer to keep their child with their original teacher upon placement. In this case, the school responds sensitively and proactively by prioritizing the teacher student/relationship allowing the student to remain within their original class; continuing to make solid progress versus removing.

Christina	Yes									
Colonial	No	Yes	Very	Very	Very	Very	Not At All	Don't know	Very	Somewhat
East Side	Yes									
First State Montessori	Yes									
Gateway Lab	Yes									
Indian River	No	Yes	Very	Not At All	Somewhat	Not At All	Somewhat	Somewhat	Somewhat	Somewhat
Kuumba	No	Yes	Very	Very	Very	Don't know	Very	Very	Very	Very
Lake Forest	No	Yes	Somewhat	Somewhat	Not At All	Somewhat	Somewhat	Somewhat	Not At All	Not At All
Laurel	No	Yes	Somewhat	Very	Not At All	Not At All	Not At All	Not At All	Somewhat	Don't know

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<b>Milford</b>	No	Yes	Not At All	Somewhat	Somewhat	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not At All	Somewhat	Somewhat
<b>MOT</b>	No	Yes	Not At All	Not At All	Somewhat	Not At All	Somewhat	Not At All	Not At All	Not At All
<b>Newark Charter</b>	No	Yes	Not At All	Somewhat	Not At All	Not At All	Not At All	Not At All	Not At All	Not At All
<b>Odyssey Charter</b>	No	Yes	Very	Very	Not At All	Don't know	Not At All	Not Applicable	Very	Not Applicable
<b>Providence Creek</b>	No	Yes	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Providence Creek Academy Charter is approved for class sizes of 18 in grades K-1, and 25 in grades 2-8. Enrollment in each class falls within the 5% below/above permitted.										
<b>Red Clay</b>	No	Yes	Very	Somewhat	Very	Don't know	Somewhat	Not At All	Somewhat	Somewhat
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<b>Seaford</b>	Yes									
<b>Smyrna</b>	No	Yes	Somewhat	Somewhat	Not At All	Somewhat	Somewhat	Not At All	Somewhat	Somewhat
The district examined several options that were available to meet the class size requirement. It was determined the impacts of these options were not in the best interest of the students and their families. 1) Placing additional students in co-teaching classrooms would increase the class sizes of our neediest students diminishing our ability to provide differentiated instruction; 2) changing the classroom assignment of students during the year would disrupt the teacher/student relationships that have been created and 3) eliminating a parent's ability to choose their student's teacher would decrease family involvement in the student's educational process.										
<b>Thomas Edison</b>	Yes									
<b>Woodbridge</b>	No	Yes	Somewhat	Somewhat	Very	Somewhat	Somewhat	Somewhat	Not At All	Not At All